

# 142 Seniors Receive Diplomas May 9th

A bright, sunny day greeted parents, faculty, friends and 142 seniors on Sunday, May 9th, as they assembled for the eighty-seventh annual commencement exercises of Saint



Richard Couper, President of the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation, delivers the commencement address. Father Banet (left) and Mildred Tait (right) look on.

Joseph's College. The ceremonies opened with the presentation of the annual senior-of-the-year award. Dan Harbor, Alumni Board President, presented the award to August Ghilarducci of Palos Heights, Illinois. Ghilarducci delivered a brief talk reflecting on his four years at Saint Joseph's.

Dr. Garrity, Vice President for Aca-

demic Affairs then introduced the 1982 co-valedictorians Vicki Bauer and Patricia Scott. Both ladies maintained a perfect 4.0 index through their four years. Each gave a speech assuring their classmates that the experiences gained at Saint Joseph's will have a positive effect on society.

Richard Couper, President of the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation of Princeton, NJ, delivered the commencement address and received an honorary doctor of laws degree. Couper urged the graduates to use their Saint Joseph's experience to make them conspicuous and influential in society. He said, "No matter what our activities, there is room for us to achieve quality and excellence in what we do — room for us to be among the elite in what we accomplish."

Couper, who has been president of the Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation since July, 1981, was himself a Woodrow Wilson Visiting Fellow at Saint Joseph's during October 26-31, 1980. At that time, he was president and chief executive of the New York Public Library. A native of Binghamton, NY, he received his bachelor's degree from Hamilton College (Clinton, NY) in 1947 and a master of arts degree in American

history from Harvard University in 1948.

Mildred Tait of Brook, Indiana, and Alice Ward of Bay City, Michigan, both members of the Board of Trustees, had honorary doctor of laws degrees conferred upon them. Mrs. Tait, who is president of the Per Pak Corporation of Brook, has been a member of Saint Joseph's Board of

letes and has a continuing concern in women's affairs on campus.

Mrs. Ward, a member of Saint Joseph's Board of Trustees since 1972, is active in the League of Catholic Women, St. Thomas Mothers' Club, Christian Parents Club, Young Women's Christian Association and Saint Joseph's Church of Bay City. She joins Mrs. Tait on the Committee



Some Saint Joe graduates reminisce as they are about to enter the Fieldhouse for the commencement ceremonies. The Class of 1982 graduated 142 students.

Trustee's since 1975 and is currently serving as the Board's vice-chairman. She has been instrumental in initiating scholarships for women ath-

for Women's Affairs at Saint Joseph's College. Saint Joseph's College was proud to honor these two influential and caring women.



Father Bernard Meiring, Executive Vice-President, leads the procession of 142 soon-to-be graduates to the Baccalaureate Mass. The Mass was held in the Fieldhouse.

## In Memorium

Father Alvin W. Druhman, CPPS, died Sunday, May 30, 1982, of heart failure at the age of 64. Though he had been ill and only working part time since December, his death was unexpected. A memorial service was held at Saint Joseph's College Chapel in Rensselaer, Indiana, followed by the funeral mass and burial at Saint Charles in Carthage, Ohio.

Father Druhman joined Saint Joseph's faculty in 1948 and throughout his stay assumed the affectionate title of "the man of many hats" for his many positions held at the college. He served as secretary of the college (1966-82), associate to the president for development (1978-82), and a professor of English. At the time of his death he was Director of the Capital Gifts Campaign: "Renewal — SJC Into Tomorrow", and director of the Father Gross Fellows. For the last four years Father Druhman was editor of **Contact**.

A native of Cincinnati, Ohio, Father Druhman entered the Society of the Precious Blood on October 13, 1934. He completed his high school education at Brunnerdale Seminary in Canton, Ohio, (1931-33) and Saint Joseph's Academy (1933-35). He then did his undergraduate work at Saint Joseph's during 1935-37 and 1948-49.



He started his graduate study at Saint Charles Seminary in 1939 and was ordained May 9, 1943. He then served as assistant pastor to Our Lady of the Rosary Parish in Dayton, Ohio, and as chaplain at St. Rose Convent and instructor at Viterbo College in LaCrosse, Wisconsin.

Father Druhman received a bachelor degree from Saint Joseph's, a masters of arts degree from St. John's University (Brooklyn, NY) in 1950 and a doctor of philosophy degree with a major in English literature from St. John's in 1952.

Father Druhman began teaching full-time at Saint Joseph's in 1952 and at various times he served as head of the Division of Humanities, chairman of the Department of English, and chairman of the Faculty Committee on Academic Excellence.

His publications include his master's and doctoral dissertations, both of them analytical works on the writings of William Shakespeare. His memberships in learned and professional organizations include — Shakespeare Society of America, Modern Language Association, Indiana Teachers of English, National Council of Teachers of English, College English Association, Association of Departments of English, Catholic Renaissance Society, American Catholic Philosophical Association, National Catholic Educational Association, and the Catholic Art Association.

Father Druhman's warm smile and a witty personality will certainly be missed by all who knew and loved him.

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## Augie Ghilarducci Recipient Of SJC Senior-Of-The-Year Award

The members of the Class of 1982 nominated six candidates for the annual senior-of-the-year award. The nominees were Vicki Bauer, Mike Casey, Augie Ghilarducci, Bob Jackson, Dave Ptasienski, and Rosemary Pullen. The difficult decision was made by a committee of alumni board members under the chairmanship of



AUGIE GHILARDUCCI

Ray B. Merritt, Alumni Vice-President for Academics. The committee interviewed the six students, reviewed their resumes, and met with members of the faculty and staff before rendering a decision.

At the President's Senior Dinner on March 16th the winner was announced. **Augie Ghilarducci** of Palos Heights, IL, was selected and his classmates responded with hearty congratulations. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

August F. Ghilarducci and a graduate of Marist High School. A business administration major, he has been a consistent dean's list student, Student Association President and Treasurer, Sophomore Class Treasurer, a two year member of **Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges**, and selected to the **National Register of Outstanding College Graduates** and Indiana Cardinal Society. The award was presented by Daniel Harbor, Alumni Board President at the May 9th graduation ceremonies.

## Science Equipment Funded For College

Saint Joseph's College has recently installed state-of-the-art laboratory equipment largely funded by a \$156,000 grant from the National Science Foundation. Saint Joseph's is investing an additional \$75,000 in the form of salaries, installation costs, and other expenses.

Dr. Andrew Mehall, chairman of the biology department stated that the installation of the equipment would establish a Core general education curriculum science laboratory and a common instrument room. The laboratory will provide "hands on" experience for all students at Saint Joseph's in the world of science. "Through this laboratory experience," Dr. Mehall points out, "we strive to show our students that science is just one more way of getting a hold on trust and reality." Mehall concludes, "The actual implementation of this grant has brought all of us in the science areas closer together."





## class notes

**32** What do priests do for hobbies? The pastor of St. Michael the Archangel Church in Waterloo, IN, **Father Matthew Lange**, has become a skilled worker in wood. According to "The Harmonizer", Father Matt has been constructing useful and ornamental pieces for the past thirty years — altars, lecturns, crosses and crucifixes; wall clocks, a spinning wheel, desks and other pieces of furniture. "It's been a rewarding hobby... and it also keeps me out of mischief."

**34** **Herman J. Hoying**, formerly of Carthage, OH has retired from farming and now resides in St. Henry, OH. Bro. Gerard recently had a most pleasant visit with Herman.



HERMAN J. HOYING

**36** Recovering slowly from heart surgery, **Norb Jacquay** now faces cataract operations on both eyes. Classmates and fellow alumni will want to remember him in prayer.

**46** Along with his two brothers, **Bernard Loshe** operates a farm near St. Anthony, OH which specializes in raising Holstein cattle. He has won both state-

wide and national prizes for his cattle breeding and had the first Holstein in the state of Ohio to produce over 20,000 pounds of milk per year. His cattle are sought after by buyers from all over the world.



BERNARD LOSHE

**Don Leavitt** has just completed twenty-five years as adjunct professor of patent law at St. Louis University's School of Law. He remains in active practice of patent, trademark and copyright law with his firm, Sennyer, Powers, Leavitt and Roedel in St. Louis. Both he and his wife, Sara, are "proud" fellows of SJC.

**50** NASA has recently awarded its Exceptional Service Medal to **James H. Hess**, chief of the metallurgy research branch at Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, AL for his contributions to the success of the first space shuttle mission. James M. Biggs, NASA administrator, presented the medal at a special ceremony. The medal is given "for significant achievement or service characterized by unusual initiative or creative ability... which contributes to the programs of NASA."



JAMES H. HESS

**56** **Charles A. Wiles** is now a municipal court judge in Indianapolis.

**Fred J. Stucker, M.D.** of Bethesda, Maryland is keeping very busy in the field of Otolaryngology at the National Naval Medical Center.



FRED J. STUCKER, M.D.

**Norman D. Hudecki** has been named associate director of the Automotive and Product Application Laboratories of Ashland Petroleum Company. He will assist in the management of quality control, customer service and new product development for the company's major product line.

**John H. Dingeman**, President of Dingeman Advertising,

Inc., has purchased approximately 1,000 poster, paint and junior panels. The plant is located throughout 35 counties in central Illinois. John certainly has come a long way since he purchased his first poster plant some 22 years and 18 additional plants ago.

**58** **George A. Sherwood**, now in Long Beach, CA was recently honored for his sales accomplishments with Jostens, Inc. George services area high schools with quality scholastic products.

**59** **Bernie Lareau**, formerly Saint Joseph's athletic trainer, has joined the faculty at the University of Texas-San Antonio. Bernie was previously head trainer for the Chicago Bears football team and the San Antonio Spurs basketball team.

**Bruce Fech** was one of the 20 professional educators nationwide to be chosen for a one-year Fellowship by the Education Policy Fellowship Program. He is currently the General Superintendent for Education for the ten-county Catholic Diocese of Lansing.

**Bill McCrea** is the chairman of The Entrepreneurship Institute in Columbus, OH.

**60** **Norman Van Maldegiam** has established his own firm, Van Maldegiam Associates, Inc., of Chicago, as management consultants in the executive sector.

**61** **Norbert Krapf**, of Roslyn, New York, has recently published a cycle of narrative poems based on the life and works of German master painter and graphic artist Albrecht Durer (1471-1528).

**Dennis Biggerstaff** has been promoted to Vice President of the Executive and Professional Division of the Northern Trust Company of Chicago.

**William Krantz**, of the Department of Chemical Engineering of the University of Colorado, recently received the George Westinghouse Award of the American Society for Engineering Education, a Fulbright-Hays Senior Research Fellowship for Advanced Study at Aachen Technical University in West Germany and a Faculty Fellowship from the Council on Research and Creative Work of the University of Colorado. Congratulations!

**63** **Michael Smith** has been promoted to senior distribution analyst in the distribution planning department / hospital products division of Abbott Laboratories.

**65** **James Wade** has been named Assistant Secretary of Johnson Controls in Milwaukee.

**66** **Jim Robbins**, Northeast Division Manager of the Tapecoat Company, has been elected chairman of the New York Metropolitan Section of the National Association of Corrosion Engineers. Jim and his wife, Donna, reside in Stamford, Connecticut.

**68** **Donald S. Kneuve** has been promoted from assistant professor to associ-

ate professor at Defiance College in Defiance, Ohio.

**Fred Hoying** is presently the judge of Jefferson County (Indiana) Court. He resides in Madison, Indiana, with his wife, Martha, and their three children.



FRED HOYING

**Paul Kiffner**, a resident of Chagrin Falls, Ohio, has been named a partner with Price-Waterhouse.

**69** **James D. Graham**, former Puma quarterback, is the athletic director and head football coach for Newark Catholic High School in Ohio. His football teams have won 106 games, lost but 13 and tied one in eleven years.

**Mel Holtz** has been transferred to the Billings, Montana, area as district manager with Associates Commercial Corporation. Mel and his wife, Mary, have two sons.

**Dennis Wynn** was graduated from Loyola University in Chicago with the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

**Leonard J. Modjeski**, of Lombard, Illinois, has been assigned to the South DuPage County area as a Professional Sales Representative for Smith Kline & French Laboratories, the pharmaceutical division of Smith Kline Corporation.

**70** **Dr. Earl W. Crosby** recently changed career direction and joined the M.I. Services staff of T.R.W.'s Equipment Group at its TAPCO location in Euclid, Ohio. He had been teaching social studies at Hathaway Brown School in Shaker Heights. He is residing in Garfield Heights with his wife, Carol, and two children, Paul and Becky.



DR. EARL W. CROSBY

**71** **Timothy M. Pedrotty** has been named Physical Plant Manager of St. Michael's College in Winooski, Vermont.

**Ann (Blacker) Kirschner** received her Juris Doctorate from Stetson University School of Law in St. Petersburg in December. Mrs. Kirschner will practice law in the St. Petersburg area.

**Roger Christ** has been promoted to branch manager for GAB Business Services, Inc., in Jamestown, New York.

**76** **Nancy Homan** has been appointed the family therapist for the Lafayette branch office of Catholic Charities.

**77** **Frank Sergi** will be the new head football coach at Park Tudor School in Indianapolis. Previously, he was a coach and teacher at Cathedral High School.

**78** **David C. Miller** competed in the Trial Moot Court competition of the law schools in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana and Kentucky. Miller is in the Dickinson School of Law.

**80** **Mark Doss** is a standout student in the Indiana School of Music. He performs in many operas, musicals, and the like. Some of us remember Mark from his great performances here at Saint Joseph's.

**Mary Girard** has been named diocesan director of youth ministry in Decatur.

**Kimberly Leavis** is now employed by New England Mutual Life in Boston, Massachusetts. She has recently been named project leader for testing PENDATA, a group pension data processing system.



KIMBERLY LEAVIS

**81** **Mary Mysliwiec** has been promoted to head an investigative reporting unit by television station WLFI-TV, Channel 18 in West Lafayette, Indiana. Mary is a native of Dyer, Indiana.



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Editor



# Jauron Inducted Into Sports Hall Of Fame At April Ceremonies

**Bob Jauron** was inducted into the SJC Sports Hall of Fame on April 25. Jauron coached the Puma football teams to a combined 32-13-1 record during 1954-58. He is widely regarded as the premier coach in Saint Joseph's College gridiron history.

Jauron's 1956 and 1957 teams won Indiana Collegiate



## BIRTHS

Jill Elizabeth, born April 11, 1980, to **James J. '71** and **Judith Ann Coupe, Jr.**  
Michael Stephen, born November 25, 1980, to **Richard M. '77** and **Kathleen Kubasak**  
Jessica Maureen, born February 18, 1981, to **John '71** and **Donna (Becker '73) Riet-schlin**  
Kristen Suzanne, born March 18, 1981, to **James '77** and **Joann Unverferth**  
Andrew Ryan, born April 8, 1981, to **Daniel T. '72** and **Nan (Dine '72) Halton**  
Kristen Ann, born August 26, 1981, to **Richard and Nancy (Von Benken '75) Wojciak**  
Patricia Ann, born September 21, 1981, to **Robert M. '61** and **Marion F. Gullivan**  
Maria Ann, born October 26, 1981, to **George and Ann M. (Osborne '72) Gatto**  
Amber Rose, born November 12, 1981, to **James A. '64** and **Joann (Heimann '78) Heimann**  
Amanda Julia, born December 23, 1981, to **Timothy M. '71** and **Georgann Pedrotty**  
Mary Megan, born April 5, 1982, to **Myron '73** and **Kathleen Newland**

## DEATHS

**Rev. Lionel Pire, C.P.P.S. '16**, September 18, 1981  
**John B. Carlin '17**, November 7, 1981  
**Leo J. Geyer '23**, November 23, 1981  
**Rev. Seraphin Widman, CPPS '28**, February 21, 1982  
**Rev. John Wissert, CPPS '29**, January 29, 1982  
**Msgr. Ambrose L. Freund '30**, November 12, 1981  
**Rev. Victor Kreinbrink, CPPS '34**, January 15, 1982  
**Herbert (Pat) Bensman '36**, Summer, 1981  
**Rev. Alvin W. Druhman, CPPS '37**, May 30, 1982  
**Rev. Frederick O'Brien, CPPS '37**, December 27, 1981  
**Rev. Otto Diller, CPPS '38**, November 16, 1981  
**John F. Cangany '48**, February 16, 1982  
**Francis A. Lucisano '49**, November 24, 1981  
**Frank Lynn, Jr. '53**, December 17, 1981  
**Charles Sarico '70**, May 30, 1982  
**Edward F. Carter, III '74**, April 17, 1982

## MARRIAGES

**Ron "Buzz" Sylvester '75** and **Margaret Wohler '77**, October 2, 1981

Conference championships and set a series of team and individual records that are still standing. The 1956 squad battled Montana State to a 0-0 deadlock in the Aluminum Bowl to gain a share of the



Coach Jauron with some of the players he coached. Left to right: Dennis Fox '59, Lester Klein '60, Ray Knight '58, Keith Fingerhut '58, Richard Cote '59, William Brinkman '58, Coach Bob Jauron, John Kobza '63, and Tom Huhn '59.

NAIA title in the only bowl game in which a St. Joe football team has every competed.

Sixteen of Jauron's former players returned to witness his entry into the Hall of Fame, an honor bestowed by the Alumni Association. Also on hand was his son, Dick, who is currently a defensive back with the Cincinnati Bengals.

"Saint Joseph's was a big part of my life, and I really believe that the best five years

of my life were spent at Saint Joseph's," Jauron said. "My memories of associating with the young people there are terrific, and I appreciate so much the fact that so many of my former players could re-

turn for the Hall of Fame dinner so that we could relive those good old times."

Jauron has now retired after serving as owner / operator of Jauron Sporting Goods in Nashua, N.H., from 1966 until earlier this year. During the past 20 years, Jauron has remained active in coaching on a part-time basis and this fall he will coach the offense of a high school team in Swampscott, MA, where he now resides.

## Scharf Retires From St. Joe; New Athletic Director Named

Father Banet announced the appointment of **William Hogan '74**, as the new Athletic Director, effective May 1. He succeeds **Richard Scharf** who retired after serving as the director of athletics since August 1961.

Hogan is a 1974 graduate of Saint Joseph's with a bachelor of science degree in business administration and social studies education. He joined the SJC faculty in the summer of 1981 as an assistant professor of business administration. Dr. Hogan also served as an assistant men's basketball coach and was business manager of athletics.

After graduation from Saint Joseph's, Dr. Hogan earned a master's degree in business education at Bowling Green State University in June of 1978 and a Ph.D. in educational administration and supervision with a cognate in sports administration at Bowling Green in August of 1980.

Dr. Hogan was a graduate assistant and teaching fellow in the business education department at Bowling Green's College of Business during 1977-80, then was an assis-



WILLIAM HOGAN

stant professor of business education there in 1980-81. He also was an assistant basketball coach at Bowling Green from 1977 to 1981.

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## sports update

Much like the weather in northern Indiana — variable — Saint Joseph's winter and spring sports teams have met with a variable degree of joys and sorrows on the floor and field of competition.

The men's and women's basketball teams slipped just under the .500 plateau with marks of 13-14 and 9-11 respectively, but both teams experienced highlights intensely satisfying to the Collegeville community.

Two wins over Indiana State-Evansville and Ashland plus a win over Indiana Central highlighted the men's team participation in the Great Lakes Valley Conference, a rugged league that sent three teams into the NCAA post-season playoffs.

MVP **Melvin Wood** led the Pumas with 16.5 points and 8.6 rebounds per game, while **Gary Plamondon** (13.7), **Michael Collins** (11.7), **Rickey Bureau** (8.7) and **Greg Martin** (8.0) also fueled a potent Puma offense.

Coach **George Waggoner** returns nine lettermen for the 1982-83 campaign, and the addition of recruits like **Matt Weber** of West Lafayette and **Keith Miller** of Cincinnati are lending an air of justified optimism for the year ahead.

Coach **Sue Buntin's** women's squad navigated a challenging schedule with just ten players on the roster, but a unified, strong team effort paid ready dividends. Led by **Lori Salm** (14.0 points per game, 8.6 rebounds per game), **Brenda Wolski** (7.8 ppg), **Penny Salm** (7.2 ppg, 10.3 rb) and **Cheryl VanWinkle** (7.1 ppg), the ladies posted key victories over Taylor, Indiana State-Evansville, Valparaiso and Oakland City before being eliminated from the IIAW tournament by IUPUI-Indianapolis on a last-second shot in a 52-51 contest.

Improvement is likely in the year ahead because the squad returns starters **Penny Salm**, **Cindy Figel** and **VanWinkle** along with letter-winning reserves **Jill Burnett**, **Beth Dean** and **Susan Keller**.

Backcourt improvement is assured with the arrival of recruits like **Tammy Mason** and **Michelle Sprowl** of West Lafayette and **Buntin** is optimistic in approaching a 22-game schedule that concludes with the initial GLVC tourney for women.

In spring sports, the women's track squad led the way with a 7-4 dual match record against some of the state's toughest competition. Sprinters **Jackie Harrison** and **Robin Farthing** plus weight event specialists **Mary Rush**, **Sandy Lee** and **Susan Keller** piled up points consistently for the Pumas.

Lack of depth was the major problem for the men's track squad, which finished 3-19. Distance runners like **Tony Martin** provided bright spots, but coach **Dave Smith** says more manpower is a must for the Pumas to be

competitive in the tough NCAA Division II circle.

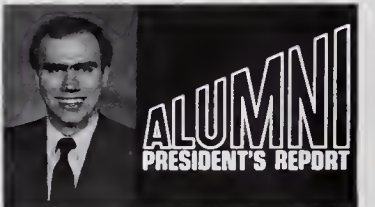
Though coach **John Pullin's** baseball team finished at 2-17, the squad showed plenty of offense with five regulars hitting above .300. Catcher **Kirk Barron** was an all-conference selection with his .360 batting average, while **Scott Jones** (.333), **Jeff Zahra** (.333), **Jack Emerson** (.326) and **Mike Mustafa** (.323) provided constant headaches for opposing pitchers.

The Pumas' problem, however, came on the mound where SJC hurlers posted a cumulative 9.07 earned run average and simply gave up too many runs for the Puma offense to overcome.

Coach **John Barrientos** watched his men's tennis team roll up three wins against five losses, including a pair of wins against Marian plus a major 5-4 upset over well-regarded Indiana Central. The outlook for 1983 is strong as the team returns four lettermen, including **Jim Macalka**, who played in the number two spot last spring as a freshman.

### 1982 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Sept. 4 Carson-Newman (TN)  
(at London, KY) ..... 7:00  
Sept. 11 Saginaw Valley St. (MI) . . 1:30  
Sept. 18 at Northeastern Illinois . . 1:30  
Oct. 2 at Evansville\* ..... 1:30  
Oct. 9 Georgetown (KY)\*  
(Homecoming) ..... 1:30  
Oct. 16 at Indiana Central\* ..... 1:30  
Oct. 23 Valparaiso ..... 1:30  
Oct. 30 at Franklin\* ..... 1:30  
Nov. 6 Butler\* ..... 1:30  
Nov. 13 at Ashland\* ..... 1:30  
\*HEARTLAND COLLEGIATE CONFERENCE



## ALUMNI PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Dear Alumni and Alumnae,

Since the last issue of *Contact* much has been happening at Saint Joseph's. The largest capital campaign in Saint Joseph's history is well underway. Being chaired by **Phil Wilhelm** of the class of '63, the campaign has now raised over \$3,500,000 of the goal of \$7,000,000. The alumni phase of the campaign is being co-chaired by **Mike Smith '63** and **Tom Conde '78**. These people may be contacting you in the future, and any help you can give them will be appreciated. This campaign is a major undertaking and all of the people who are donating their time and efforts should be commended.

If you know of any prospective student who would like to attend Saint Joseph's or would like to have information about the College, please contact the Admissions Office, or Brother **Gerard** of the Alumni Office. If you would be willing to make contact with someone in your area who is interested in attending Saint Joe, so you can give him or her that personal touch, drop the Admissions Office or Brother a line.

This year seems to be flying by with many new and exciting developments. No doubt Saint Joe's is well on its way to facing and solving the problems that confront higher education today. With continued strong leadership and great alumni / ae support, our future can be nothing but bright.

Sincerely,

*Dan W. Harbor*  
**Daniel W. Harbor '76**  
President,  
Alumni Board





# potpourri

**Robert Monfort '71** has the distinction of being named the recipient of both the **Wooden Cask Award** and **Professor of the Year** by the Student Senate. Monfort, an accounting and finance professor, also served as the faculty advisor to the Student Associ-

**Mark La Mura**, of "All My Children" and also a 1970 graduate from Saint Joseph's College in Rensselaer recently took part in a telethon in the Fort Wayne, Indiana area to help raise money for victims of a devastating flood



**Alumni Basketball Team** — Saint Joseph's College alumni who returned to campus February 13 to play each other in the annual alumni basketball game include, kneeling from left: John Barrientos '51, Bobby Dalton '79, Greg Kapka '81, Ed Muhlenkamp '72, Tom Crowley '66, Gerry Klamrowski '77, Neil Brown '81, Bill Hogan '74 and Kevin Sims '79. Standing from left: Rick Badovinich '75, Mark Muterspaw '73, Bill Conwell '69, George Brun '72, Neville Brown '81, Dave Huneryager '74, Bill Weliky '70, Dan Fenker '57, Greg Jancich '58, Lyle Meyer '80 and Roger Morgan '72.

ation. These things, along with notable committee work made him an overwhelming choice. Recently, he was named a new member of the Chartered Financial Analysts (CFA) program providing him with additional expertise that his students should find quite valuable. To top off a very busy second semester, Monfort was married in late April.

Congratulations!!

**Father Donald Shea, CPPS**, was appointed to a new position in the Republican National Committee. Since May, 1977, he had been Liaison to Religious and Ethnic Groups; now Father Shea is Director of the Liaison Division. This section of the Republican National Committee includes all programs and personnel concerned with "outreach" or liaison to seven major constituencies: senior citizens, Hispanics, Jews, Blacks, Ethnic, Labor and religious. It focuses on the values and concerns common to all groups and to the Administration. For those of you who wish to drop him a line, Father Shea's Washington address and telephone number is:

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crippling the east side of the city. The Fort Wayne Journal Gazette quoted La Mura as saying, "A lot of people have been asking me why am I doing this. The fact that I did go



**Mark La Mura**, one of the cast of TV's "All My Children", visited Saint Joseph's College campus along with other alumni / ae in SJC + 10 career orientation day. He is standing at center with Dr. Ralph Cappuccilli (right) and Tom Madison (left).

to school in Rensselaer has some bearing on it. But more important is the fact that a whole bunch of people are without their homes. That's the kicker."

The 1982-83 Student Association elections were held in late April. **Todd Simonson**, of Terre Haute, has been elected president, **Frank Shinnick**, of Chicago, was appointed executive vice-president, **Andy Athy**, of Palos Heights, will

serve as social vice-president. **Cheryl Evans**, of Springfield, Illinois, will handle the secretarial duties and **Gale Lilley**, of Michigan City, will act as treasurer. Congratulations and best wishes for a successful year!!

Theater experience can play an important role in the education of the student at Saint Joseph's College, and **Brother Jim Mignerey, CPPS**, here intends to make sure that fact isn't lost by the student body.

Brother Jim joined Saint Joseph's faculty as an instructor in communications and theater arts last July, extending his role working with the Columbia Players, the thespian group which is the oldest student organization on campus founded in 1892.

"Theater can truly enrich the lives of people, and it can add meaningful dimension and inspiration to the campus atmosphere," he said.

Brother Jim says he hopes to help continue stage play excellence at Collegeville. He stresses the fact that his main emphasis is on growth and improvement in the theater which will only come through much hard work. "Adding more performances to the schedule and introducing new styles and types of productions will undoubtedly increase the interest and parti-

He received a bachelor of science degree in 1974 and three months later he was assigned to Saint Mark's Ele-

biggest property-casualty insurer. Fifteen months ago, Continental reached outside its own ranks to name Mr.



**Saint Joseph's** hosted its annual "Saint Joe + 10" career orientation day November 11, 1982. Several alumni / ae, having graduated within the last ten years or so, came back to speak on their various fields of endeavor. Front row, left to right, Doug Monforton '71, Jim Bishop '63, Mary Mysliwiec '81, Sr. Glynis McManomon '76, Ted Mitrenga '71, Dennis Mele '71 and Bernie Ashley '71. Back row, left to right, Ray Leliaert '68, Bill Filstead '66, Jim Reinert '71, Jim Woods, '63, Rich Corea '69, Dennis Boyle '71, Paul Muller '71, Larry Laudick '69 and Tom O'Brien '69.

mentary School in Cincinnati as teacher of the eighth grade.

In June of 1975, Brother Jim was assigned to Brunnerdale Seminary as a teacher of music, speech and theater arts. He served as a graduate assistant at Akron University and earned a masters degree in theater arts and dance in May, 1980.

Brother Jim continued as a teacher at Brunnerdale Seminary until July, 1981, when he was assigned to Saint Joseph's. He enjoys piano, which he studied at the University of Cincinnati and Malone College in Canton, Ohio. Brother Jim also has a chief interest in vocal ensembles, which he established and directed both at Brunnerdale Seminary and Saint Mark's Elementary School. Pottery, movies, and reading are among his many hobbies.

**John Mascotte '61** was featured in an article in the **Wall Street Journal**. Continental Corporation said its president, John P. Mascotte, 42 years old, will assume the additional posts of chairman and chief executive officer. The move caps the extraordinarily rapid rise of Mr. Mascotte at Continental, the nation's sixth

Mascotte president. He previously was executive vice-president for Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company.

This year, the annual Alumni / Varsity football game took place on sunny Saturday, April 25. The alumni won this year's classic by a 12-8 score. The varsity dominated the statistics, but two Mike Houston to Dave Bormann touchdown passes provided all the scoring the alumni needed. As always the game was fun for both the spectators and participants and it allowed the Pumas coaching staff to see what areas need to be worked on before the start of the upcoming season.

**John Groppe**, chairman of the department of English and associate professor of English here at Saint Joseph's received the **Father Edwin Kaiser Faculty Scholar Award**. The award is named after the Saint Joseph's professor emeritus of theology who served on the faculty 1944-66 and has distinguished himself as a speaker and author on many theological topics. The award is given occasionally to a Saint Joseph's faculty member by the Academic Cabinet for outstanding scholarship.

## Kanne Appointed U.S. District Judge By President Reagan

**Michael S. Kanne '58** was sworn in as a U.S. District Court Judge on February 24. Kanne was informed over the phone by President Reagan that he had been nominated to fill one of two vacancies in the Northern Indiana U.S. Judicial District.

The nomination and appointment process involved a series of interviews with the Indiana Judicial Nominating Commission, FBI agents, Department of Justice Investigators, and the Internal Revenue Service.

The final step for Kanne, before he was approved by the U.S. Senate on February 8, was a trip to Washington, D.C. to be questioned by the Senate Judiciary Committee.

Kanne graduated from the Indiana University Law School in 1968. He established a private practice in 1972 in Rensselaer. Then he became a

temporary replacement as a justice on the Jasper Circuit Court. After accepting a permanent appointment, Kanne served the Court for nine



**U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE KANNE** years before assuming his new role as a federal judge.

Mr. and Mrs. Kanne and their two daughters, ages 5 and 6, reside in Rensselaer.

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